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<input type="checkbox"/> FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM					+ 360	\$ 0
EXTENSION FEE	1 <sup>st</sup> MONTH 120.00 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	2 <sup>nd</sup> MONTH 450.00 <input type="checkbox"/>	3 <sup>rd</sup> MONTH 1020.00 <input type="checkbox"/>	4 <sup>th</sup> MONTH 1590.00 <input type="checkbox"/>		\$ 120
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Respectfully submitted,

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